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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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NEWS OF THE MORNING.

Iowa's Assembly declares by 57 to 31 in favor of Woman's suffrage.

Parliament is discussing Ireland's distress.

A silver mine has recently been discovered in Maryland, the ore of which yields \$113 to the ton.

An unknown vessel, with all hands, was lost in the Sound near New York, on Tuesday night.

It is said in the papers that the wife of Congressman Pacheco is writing a play for Fanny Davenport.

Congressman Frank Page thinks that the action of Pennsylvania will not effect Blaine's chances in California.

Near Topeka, Kansas, an old friendless colored woman is living this winter in a large, hollow sycamore log, which is her only home.

An Ypsilanti brother and sister desire to marry, and their parents have joined in asking for a license; but the law of the State forbids such a union.

The House Committee recommends an appropriation of \$250,000 for a public building at Denver, Colorado; \$50,000 to be expended the current year.

James Keene, it is announced on good authority, is preparing to send to the distressed people of Ireland a shipload of grain as his contribution to their relief.

A Washington dispatch says the Blaine men say there will be trouble if the Don Cameron game is played in New York. Blaine himself is reticent. His friends are hopeful.

All travel and traffic on the Lewis and Kennebec Railway, Canada, is stopped, the old Board of Directors refusing to recognize the new board chosen at the annual meeting by English bondholders.

In the case of the United States against E. J. Baldwin, charged with defrauding the revenue, in connection with his distillery at Los Angeles, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.

A reaction is apparently setting in against the Leadville boom. Influential Eastern papers now declare that too much money has been invested there for the results obtained, and capital is advised to seek another field of investment.

H. E. Robinson, a California pioneer, who died some time since in Connecticut, willed \$40,000 to the relief of destitute women and children in San Francisco. The Mayor and City Council were put in trust of the bequest.

It is a curious fact that in New York, with a population of 2,500 Chinamen, there are only two Chinese women. Nearly 300 of these Chinamen are married, but their wives are in almost every instance either Spanish or Irish women.

A bill has been introduced in the California Legislature to abolish capital punishment. Those States that have tried the experiment have made haste to reinstate the measure as a means of safety to life and property.

Congress is intensely dull. The politicians are President-making, and all are anxious not to alarm the people. The bristles of the Brigadiers are not as erect and sharp as they were. All hands are willing to wait. Sensations are deferred until next winter.

Eighty-five Republicans were interviewed in Truckee Friday forenoon as to their choice for President. Forty-eight were for Blaine, seventeen for Grant, two for Hayes, and eight had no preference. Five would not support Grant if he was nominated.

The railroad corporations are believed to have secured the defeat of the Reagan bill in the House Commerce Committee, and the substitution of a Railway Commission, with no power except to hear complaints and report the facts to Congress with recommendations.

It is estimated that if the Irish people of America will forego their annual celebration on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, and send instead the sum which would be so expended to their suffering fellowmen, one million dollars could be raised. The suggestion is a good one.

B. H. M. writes to the Carson Tribune concerning the Nevada Insane Asylum. He makes a few figures as to the probable cost of supporting 140 insane people in Reno. He shows that \$31,630 will do it as well as Langdon & Clark does. Adding interest and insurance the calculation amounts to \$36,739 as against the \$55,000 now paid Langdon & Clark yearly.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republican National Convention which is to assemble at Chicago on June 3d, will consist of 760 members. The basis is double the representation allowed to each State in Congress and two from each Territory. Thus Nevada has two Senators and one Representative. Her number of delegates to the National Convention will be six. The peculiarity of that body will be that there will be in it 274 delegates from States which are morally certain not to choose a single Republican Elector. These 274 delegates are the equivalent of 137 Electoral votes. There are in the Electoral College in all 369 votes. Of these 185 votes are necessary to a choice. It follows that there will be a false quantity, equal to 137 Electoral votes, only 48 votes less than the required majority, in the Republican National Convention.

The United States Senate has just passed an important bill providing for the punishment of persons on the western frontiers who shall steal any horses, mules, goods or chattels belonging to the Indians. This is about the first time in our history that Congress has enacted any law to protect the Indian in his right of property. Heretofore all the legislation has been to "protect" the white man. Now it is "Poor Lo's" horses and chattels that are to be looked after.

KEARNEY ON TILDEN.—Denis Kearney is delivering lectures in the East. He does not entertain a very exalted opinion of Mr. Tilden. At New York, in alluding to that gentleman, he used very strong language. Said he:

That political devil fish with false teeth, false wig, false heart, or rather gizzard, for he has no heart; that fraud, election fraud, cipher fraud, fraud of all frauds, Sam Tilden, sits in his office like a great spider, with suckers out all over the continent.

The California Supreme Court has decided in the case of John W. Dent vs. B. F. Holbrook, that an unauthorized sale by a stock broker of certificates of shares of stocks, in a mining corporation, on which the broker has a lien for payment of a part of the purchase money, is a conversion for which the owner of the certificates is entitled to recover as damage the highest market value of the stock at any time between the conversion and the verdict, without interest.

George R. Ford has handed in his resignation as Secretary of the Sierra Nevada mine. The salary of Secretary was recently cut down from \$450 to \$250 per month. Mr. Ford says he cannot live on that amount and shall look for something else to do. Dan De Quille says he is willing to drop into the breach and starve on \$250 a month for a time—\$3,000 a year!

The chief Engineer of the Ogden Fire Department embodied the following in his annual report: "By the blessings of divine providence, the past year has been remarkable for the immunity from serious losses by fire. While relying on the Supreme protection, there has been no abatement in vigilance and care in perfecting the efficiency of the department." This is another way of saying "Trust in God and keep your powder dry."

The police of Cleveland, Ohio, have just taken a census of the city and find 27,589 houses with 158,207 inhabitants. In the 1870 census Cleveland had a population of 92,829. At the last census only nine cities in the country had over 50,000 inhabitants, and Cleveland was then the fifteenth in size.

The new water works at Bodie started into operation Thursday. Everything worked well and the pressure was excellent. The water comes from the Mono pump, and it has a fall of about 250 feet from the reservoir. The works cost \$16,000. People now feel more secure against fires, and a reduction of percentage in insurance is expected.

The first minor planet, or asteroid, was discovered January 1st, 1801, the first day of the nineteenth century. Over two hundred of these minute worlds—probably varying from ten to three hundred miles in diameter—are now known, and, as everybody is well aware, the number is being rapidly increased.

The laundry girls at Troy, New York, are paid about \$8 a week, or at the rate of three cents a dozen for starching collars and cuffs. They have struck for four cents a dozen. Several hundred girls are "out," and the manufacturers are advertising for men to learn the girls' trade.

The wheat blockade at Chicago is immense, the journals of that city reporting 16,000,000 bushels in the elevators. All this breadstuff is held by speculators. In Ireland, people are starving. Here are two strange facts for humanitarians to reflect upon.

AN OREGON MYSTERY.

The Terrible Revelation of a Wife Afterwards Murdered.

About six years ago a man named Conrad Warner was murdered while on his way home from Salem, Oregon, and the murderer made good his escape. A deep mystery shrouded the whole transaction, and the secret has remained unsolved up to the present time. After the lapse of nearly six years a solution is now made public. William Tubbs, alias William Franklin, some time in the year 1877 married Miss Browning near Buena Vista. In a fit of jealousy, on July 4, 1878, he shot her, killing her instantly, and then immediately killed himself. It appears that the married life of Franklin's wife was one of continuous infelicity, and on several occasions the pair separated, only to be reunited. A few days before the fatal Fourth of July mentioned, Mrs. Franklin told Mr. Munsell that life to her was a burden; that she was wedded to a man with whom she could not live, and that she dared not leave him. She said that in his confidential moments he had told her the history of his life, under the pledge of secrecy, to be broken only by the forfeiture of her life. He said that he had, in his lifetime, murdered fifteen men; that one of them was a negro in Jackson county, from whom he got \$1,500; that he (Franklin) was the man who killed Conrad Warner near Salem; that he did it with the expectation of getting \$200, the price of a span of horses sold by Warner a short time before. Franklin said he knew when the horses were sold, the price and the time of payment, and resolved to get the money when paid, and for that purpose laid his plans. He waylaid Warner on his road home, stopped him in the road, shot him dead, and after rifling his pockets started the team homeward in the road. Then he made his way through the woods and by-ways to Seio, and southward through Linn county, thence across to the west side of the river into Polk county, where he resided most of the time up to his death. Franklin gave his real name as William Tubbs.

Dispatches received in San Francisco, from all the principal places in the interior of California, giving interviews with leading Republicans regarding their preferences for the Presidential candidate, show, with three or four exceptions, an overwhelming majority for Blaine, Grant second, and Washburne, Sherman, etc., receiving scattering votes.

The House Committee on Indian Affairs have agreed upon a bill which provides that Indians shall be tried and convicted for offences just as whites are, even if the offences are committed on a reservation.

The Storey county Post House has been robbed of its contents, the chairs, tables, stove and even the bed ticks were stolen—the straw being thrown out upon the floor. There is no place of safety, no not one.

The Albany Argus says that all the American Ministers in Spain has to do is to loan money to impuduous travelers.

Grant is still in Cuba. He will sail for Mexico about the 13th.

Small-pox has made its appearance in several Eastern cities.

Senator Lamar has quite fully recovered from his recent illness.

A negro cook, on a caboose on the Alabama Great Southern railroad, took out an insurance policy for \$1,000 at 8 o'clock one evening, and at 11 P. M. on the same evening accidentally fell from the train and was killed. The negroes along the line believed that if he had not taken out the policy he would not have been killed. An attempt on the part of the agent to sell accident tickets the following day proved unavailing.

The present postage stamps used in England will be superseded next year. It has been found that the black obliterating mark can be taken out so well that the stamps can be used again without the certainty of detection. To obviate this, paper of a thinner texture will be used, and the color will be altered.

10,000 yards of remnants, comprising all kinds of dress goods, domestics, trimmings of all descriptions, carpets, lace curtains, etc., to be sold regardless of cost at A. Strassburger & Co.'s.

1,000 yards of double width Cashmere, all wool, reduced to 50 cents a yard at A. Strassburger & Co.'s.

For a good timepiece go to Goetzel.

THE TOMB.

MERRY.—In Wadsworth, February 7th, 1886. A. G. Merry, aged 24 years.

GRiffin.—In the Poor House, February 7th, 1886. Larry Griffin, aged about 60 years, a native of Ireland.

Shall we.—WORTHINGTON & STINSON having purchased and changed the Budden Gallery on Virginia street, near the Savings Bank, are now prepared to execute work in their line in the best style and at reasonable prices. Call and see WORTHINGTON & STINSON.

Blind Tom at Home.

Blind Tom, when at home, in Georgia, lives in a building about two hundred yards from the house, and there remains alone with his piano, playing all day and night like some one possessed with madness. Bad weather has an effect on his music. In cloudy, rainy seasons he plays sombre music in minor chord; and when the sun shines and the birds sing he indulges in waltzes and light music. Sometimes he will hammer away for hours, producing the most horrible discords imaginable. Suddenly a change comes over him, and he indulges in magnificent bursts of harmony, taken from the best productions of the masters. Since his childhood he has been an idiot, and he played nearly as well at the age of seven as he does now; but now his repertoire is much larger, as he can play anything he has ever heard. He now plays about seven thousand pieces, and picks up new ones everywhere. It is a curious fact that he will not play Sunday school music if he can help it, having a great dislike for it.

The Coming Season.

We are glad to chronicle the fact that times are to be lively in Truckee the approaching Summer. The mills are laying in a large supply of logs preparatory to a long season. Orders are being received even at this early date from different parts of the country for lumber, timber and wood in almost unlimited quantities. Our factory is overcrowded with work in all its several departments, and this, together with the improvements contemplated by the C. P. railroad in the erection of a round house capable of stabling forty-four locomotives, will bring an influx of people to this section that shall gladden the hearts of every business man in Truckee. The merchants are already laying in large invoices of goods, and we learn that at an early date the Central Pacific will commence shipping material for building to this point. Truckee has seen a couple of dull seasons, but the palm days of her prosperity are by no means gone. —[Republican.]

FACTS ABOUT THE BIBLE.—A prisoner by three years' careful study, is said to have obtained the following facts: The Bible contains 3,589,489 letters, 773,602 words, 31,173 verses, 1,189 chapters, 66 books.

The word "and" occurs 46,277 times. The word "Lord" occurs 1,855 times. The word "Reverend" occurs but once, which is in the ninth verse of the one hundred and eleventh Psalm.

The 31st verse of the 7th chapter of Ezra contains the letters of the alphabet except the letter j. The finest chapter to read is the 29th chapter of the Acts of the Apostles.

The 19th chapter of 11. Kings and the 37th chapter of Isaiah are alike. The longest verse is the 9th verse of the 8th chapter of Esther.

The shortest verse is in the 11th chapter of St. John, verse 35. The 8th and 21st and 31st verses of the 107th Psalm, are alike. Each verse of the 130th Psalm ends alike.

There are no words or names of more than six syllables.

Not a rivulet can be found on the Island of Ferro, one of the largest of the Canaries, yet there is a species of tree, the leaves of which are narrow and long, and continue green through the entire year. These trees are continually surrounded by a cloud, which is condensed, and, falling in drops, keeps the cisterns placed under them constantly full.

SOMETHING WHICH SHOULD NOT BE OVERLOOKED.—Attention is called to the consequences of the approaching change of season. One in particular is the great clearance sale of my entire Fall and Winter stock at sweeping reduction of prices. Without exception goods will be sold mostly at cost. My object is to raise means enough to purchase my Spring stock. This is no farce. I most urgently request my patrons to call. This sale will last 30 days only, exclusively for cash.

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The cheapest place in Reno for drugs, medicines, and patent medicines, is at Myers' drug store, two doors west of the Postoffice.

Contributions either in books or money for a public library under the auspices of the Temperance Club and W. T. Union, will be received at Winchel and Cunningham's hall on Tuesday afternoon, also on Wednesday and Saturday evenings. At the residence of Dr. Hutchins, on Virginia Street, between Fifth and Sixth streets the same will be received at other hours and on other days. Liberal donations are earnestly solicited.

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Dancing School.

A DANCING SCHOOL will be opened in Kimbell's Hall next Monday evening, February 9th, under the direction of an experienced and competent teacher. Hours from 7 o'clock to 10 o'clock P. M. Admission 50 cents. Ladies who do not wish to take special lessons will be admitted free, and are cordially invited to attend.

Safe Key. FOUND—A Sargent & Greenleaf safe key. The owner can have the same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 13

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Store for rent. THE STORE next to the Farmers' store is for rent. Inquire of JOHN CARLSON. 1413

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Reduction. THE SISTERS OF ST. DOMINIC have reduced the price of piano lessons to day pupils from \$24 per quarter to \$18. 1424

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Dressmaking. I AM NOW PREPARED to do dressmaking from latest Fashion fashions, and by my past experience shall endeavor to please the most fastidious. Will be pleased to see those who are interested in dressmaking, at Miss Lizzie Brown's millinery store, Virginia street. 1421

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

ORE WATER DITCH COMPANY.—Location of ditch in Washoe county, Nevada. Location of principal place of business Reno, Washoe county, Nevada. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees, held on the 2d day of February, A. D. 1886, an assessment (No. 18) of three (\$3) dollars per share was levied on the capital stock of the corporation, represented by 245 shares, payable immediately in U. S. gold coin at the Reno Savings Bank, to the Reno Savings Bank, Treasurer of the corporation. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the third day of March, A. D. 1886, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold by the Secretary, on Saturday, the third day of April, A. D. 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day at the Reno Savings Bank to pay the delinquent assessment together with costs of advertisement and expense of sale. By order of the Board of Trustees. B. F. LEETE, Secretary. Reno, February 2d, 1886.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

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